

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS INSPIRING COMMUNITIES, INC.

Chairman Julius Genachowski
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20554

May 30, 2011

In the Matter of Applications of AT&T Inc. and Deutsche Telekom AG for Consent to Assign or Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations (WT Docket No. 11-65).

Dear Mr. Chairman:

I'm writing to you today in the hopes that you will choose to approve the merger between T-Mobile USA and AT&T. Believe me when I say that this merger can do some tremendously good things and I appreciate you hearing my story.

At Educational Programs Inspiring Communities, Inc., we work closely with developmentally disabled adults living in Houston, TX. We work with them daily to provide occupational skills training in order to provide them with an opportunity to make a significant impact in the world and eventually have a stronger sense of pride and community. This merger will drastically increase the amount of broadband and technological tools available to all Americans, yet the people we work with will benefit the most.

The low-income, developmentally challenged citizens in America need all the help they can get in order to live a productive and fulfilling life. They are truly some of the neediest among us and it is important that we never stop looking out for their best interests. This merger could eventually lead to important technological advances that will make their lives significantly better. It is important that we never lose sight of that prospect.

As the executive director, I and my staff work with these people every day. I believe it is time that you do your part and approve of this merger.

Thank you so much for taking into account the good things this merger will do for adults with developmental disabilities in the United States. We look forward to the day when we can all thank you for approving this merger.

Sincerely,



Jane Cummins
Executive Director
Educational Programs Inspiring Communities, Inc.

CC:

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Commissioner Robert McDowell
Commissioner Mignon Clyburn
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